

# 2010 Tribal Leaders Summit Agenda DRAFT

Revised: June 3, 2010-Melissa

Monday, August 30, 2010	
8:00 am to 4:00 pm	<b>Registration</b> Location: Centennial Hall Lobby
4:30 pm to 8:00 pm	<b>Traditional Welcoming Ceremony</b> Location: Centennial Hall Ballrooms Traditional Dinner served by the Alaska Native Sisterhood 5:00 pm – Clan leaders and Eagle/Raven Welcome and Response 5:20 pm – Acknowledgement of tribes present 5:45 pm – Invocation and dinner service 6:15 pm – <i>About our Cultural Experiences a short enactment of the Potlatch ceremony, Raven Dancer Gene Tagaban, Harbor view Language class dance group, Lyle James Dance group</i> 8:00 pm – Closing Prayer
Tuesday, August 31, 2010	
7:00 am to 5:00 pm	<b>Registration</b> Location: Centennial Hall Lobby
7:30 am to 8:30 am	<b>Tribal Leaders Meet &amp; Greet Breakfast – Baranof Hotel</b> <i>(catered by the Baranof)</i>
7:30 am to 8:30 am	<b>Continental Breakfast, Centennial Hall</b> <i>(catered by the Hangar)</i>
8:30 am to 9:30 am	<b>Opening Ceremonies</b> Opening Remarks Announcements Review of the day <b>Keynote: Patricia McGrath, Tami Fordham, EPA, EPA National Mining Regulations: Getting Involved</b>
9:30 am to 10:30 am	<b>Region 10 Tribal Operations Committee Report</b> Facilitator: Welcome: RTOC/NTOC- <i>"How Far We've Come!"</i>
10:30 am to 10:45 am	<b>Break</b>
10:45 am to 12:00 pm	<b>Panel: EPA Executives/ Tribal Success Stories/AIEO:</b>
12:00 pm to 1:30 pm	<b>Networking Lunch- RTOC (?)</b> <i>(catered by the Hangar)</i>
1:30 pm to 3:00 pm	<b>Tribal Council's and EPA ToPs Action Planning Session Begins with Tribal Judge Ben Didrickson (Climate Change and Our Way of Life)</b> <b>Breakout Sessions:</b> <b>Resource development:</b>

1:30 to 3:00 pm (cont).	<p><b>Tribal Consultation:</b>  <b>Tribal, EPA Environmental Staff, and Youth.</b>  <b>Reduce Greenhouse Gas Emissions/Recycling – CH Ballroom 2</b>  <b>(Possible Panel?)</b>  <b>Planning for Climate Change Adaptation: Swinomish Experience –</b>  <b>Ed Knight/Ballroom 3</b>  <b>OR</b>  <b>Honorable Community Engagement: Swinomish Climate Change Initiative &amp;</b>  <b>Case Study - Michelle "Shelly" Vendiola/Ballroom 3 (<i>keynote?</i>)</b>  <b>OR</b>  <b>Understanding Community Impacts on Climate Change Tribal Opportunities for</b>  <b>Monitoring Climate Change – Michael Brubaker</b>  <b>OR</b>  <b>Preparing for Climate Change: Tools to Help Increase Tribal Resilience –</b>  <b>Michael Hughes and Justus Steward (Panel Format)</b></p> <p><b>Habitat Protection &amp; Restoration – CH Egan Room</b>  <b>Youth Environmental Education – ANB Hall-US Forest Service/CCTHITA/Kassan</b>  <b>Youth in track</b></p>
3:00 pm to 3:15 pm	<b>Break</b>
3:15 pm to 5:00 pm	<b>General Session: <i>Unveiling of the Region 10 Consultation Plan-Jim Woods</i></b> <b><i>National Consultation Plan Process-</i></b>
<b>Wednesday, September 1, 2010</b>	
7:00 am to 5:00 pm	<b>Registration</b> Location: Centennial Hall Lobby
7:30 am to 8:30 am	<b>Meet &amp; Greet Breakfast</b> ( <i>catered by Abby's</i> )
8:30 am to 10:30 am	<p><b><i>Tribal Council's and EPA ToPs Action Planning Session Begins with Tribal Judge Ben Didrickson (Climate Change and Our Way of Life)</i></b>  <b>Breakout Sessions:</b>  <b>Youth Focused Workshops on the Environment – CH Ballroom 1</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Developing a Youth Environmental Program</b></li> <li>• <b>Youth and Family Marine Safety Programs</b></li> <li>• <b>Youth Environmental Action</b></li> </ul> <p><b>(Possible Panel?)</b>  <b>We Live By the River – Jon Waterhouse/CH Ballroom 2</b>  <b>OR</b>  <b>Protection of Salmon Habitat from Invasive Weed: Knotweed</b>  <b>OR</b>  <b>Treating Stormwater to develop Construction Projects to Emphasize Plants, Soils and Infiltration (<i>title TBD</i>) – Julia Gold and Valerie Streeter</b>  <b>OR</b>  <b>Alaskan Youth Taking Action on Invasive Plants</b>  <b><i>*(or should this go on Thursday with Invasive Plants by region?)</i></b>  <b>Water Quality Assessment Program – CH Ballroom 2</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Water Quality Testing Done by Canoes 2008-2010-charles</b></li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>WQ Assessments &amp; Anti-Degradation</b></li> <li>• <b><i>Panel on Water Quality i.e. SEARHC-DEC-watershed groups</i></b></li> </ul> <p><b>EPA's Environmental Justice Programs – CH Ballroom 3</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Danny Gogal</b>, Senior Environmental Protection Specialist, Federal Interagency Working Group on EJ Program Manager</li> <li>• <b>State of Alaska's EJ program.</b></li> <li>• <b>Environmental Justice &amp; Tribal Consultation – CH Ballroom 1</b></li> </ul> <p><b>Ethno Biology – ANB Hall</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Endangered Knowledge of First Nations</b></li> </ul> <p><b>Panel – Indian Health Service Open Dumps Inventory/Fran Stefan, Kami Snowden</b></p>
10:30 am to 10:45 am	<b>Break</b>
10:45 am to 12:00 pm	<p><b>Breakout Sessions:</b></p> <p><b>Native Cultures Use of Marine Resources – Catherine Villa/CH Ballroom 2</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Marine Mammal Management</b></li> <li>• <b>Intertidal Foods</b></li> <li>• <b><i>Climate change salmon streams</i></b></li> <li>• <b><i>Climate change and invasive insects and plants</i></b></li> <li>• <b><i>Climate change and rising water levels</i></b></li> <li>• <b><i>Youth Session</i></b></li> </ul> <p><b>Fidalgo Shore Bank Stabilization and Forage Fish Habitat Restoration – Christine Woodward</b></p> <p><b>Thomas Creek Restoration Project – Christine Woodward (<i>different time?</i>)</b></p> <p><b>What's New in GIAU? Updates/Trends – Armina Nolan</b></p> <p><b>Natural Resource Restoration – David Chapman</b></p>
12:00 pm to 1:30 pm	<p><b>Luncheon (<i>catered by Abby's</i>)</b></p> <p><b><i>Keynote: Learning to Reduce Work Stress with Environmental Comedy</i></b></p>
1:30 pm to 2:00 pm	<b><i>Tribal Council, EPA, and RTOC cont. ToPs Action Planning Session with Tribal Judge Ben Didrickson (Climate Change and Our Way of Life)</i></b>
2:00 pm to 3:00	<b><i>State and Youth Caucuses- Reflecting "How climate policy outcomes will impact our work"</i></b>
3:00 pm to 3:15 pm	<b>Break</b>
3:15 pm to 5:00 pm	<b><i>State and youth Caucuses continued- "What is our Commitment to the Policy Action Plan"</i></b>
<b>Thursday, September 2, 2010</b>	
8:00 am to 8:30 am	<b>Meet &amp; Greet Breakfast (<i>catered by Abby's</i>)</b>
8:30 am to 10:30 am	<p><b>Break Out Sessions:</b></p> <p><b>Methamphetamine Lab Awareness/Assessments – CH Ballroom 1</b></p> <p><b>U.S. Territories and Insular Areas Financial and Administrative Guidance for US EPA Assistance Agreements Kirk Laflin/ Steve Fenton – CH Ballroom 2</b></p> <p><b>Air Regulations Covering Oil and Natural Gas Production – Bruce Moore</b></p> <p><b>Program Development – CH Ballroom 3</b></p>

	<b>Grants Management – ANB Hall Youth Session</b>
10:30 am to 10:45 am	<b>Break</b>
10:45 am to 12:00 pm	<b>Break Out Sessions: <i>Invasive Plants/Species Hot Topics by region</i></b> <b>Alaska:</b> Invasive Weeds Project in Juneau Cooperative Weed Management – Samia Savell <b>Idaho</b> <b>Washington</b> <b>Oregon</b> <b>Youth Session</b>
12:00 pm to 1:30 pm	<b>Luncheon</b> ( <i>catered by Abby's</i> ) Keynote: Michelle Vendiola and Caroline Edwards – Swinomish Climate Change Initiative ( <i>or possibly Billy Frank here?</i> )
1:30 pm to 3:00 pm	<b>Break Out Sessions:</b> Brownfields Assessments & Remediation – John Carnahan/CH Ballroom 1 (may be titled Battling Brownfields and Blight), TBD <b>Remediating Fuel &amp; Mine Sites – Centennial Hall Ballroom 2</b> <b>Contaminated Sites Registry/Reporting Clean-Up Work–CH Ballrm 3</b> <b>Cruise Ship Issues – ANB Hall</b> Tribal Air Session – The Impacts of Pollution – Mary Manous Managing Stormwater with Low Impact Development – Julia Gold
3:00 pm to 3:15 pm	<b>Break</b>
3:15 pm to 5:00 pm	<b>Break Out Sessions –</b> Facilitator: <b>Geographic Information Systems – CH Ballroom 2</b> GIS Role in Tribal Governments Across the Country: A Focus on the Environment – David Gadsden Alternative Energy Sources in Indian Country – Larry Roberts <b>Douglas Village/Other Environmental Issues – CH Ballroom</b> Tools to Help Increase Tribal Resilience – Michael Huhes/Justus Steward
6:30 pm to 9:00 pm	<b>Recognition Dinner-<i>Jeanie Green-utilizing the media to highlight environmental Program- Youth Report</i></b> ( <i>catered by Abby's</i> ) "This Is Our Land" Video
<b>Friday, September 3, 2010</b>	
8:00 am to 8:30 am	<b>Meet &amp; Greet Breakfast</b> ( <i>catered by the Baranof</i> )
8:30 am to 10:30 am	<b>Break Out Sessions: Resource Extraction</b> <b><i>Mining-pebble –Kensington "what's working what's not"</i></b> CH Ballroom 3 <i>Youth –Network Planning</i>  How Can We Improve Mine Permitting in Alaska? – David Chambers
10:30 am to 10:45 am	<b>Break</b>
10:45 am to 12:00 pm	<b>Break Out Sessions: Environmental Toxins</b>

	<b>It's Not Just Garbage Anymore! – Ted Jacobsen</b> <b>Solid Waste – ANB Hall</b> <b>Tribal Air Quality Programs – CH Ballroom 1</b> <b>Healthy House = Indoor Air Quality – Carl Jeffries</b> <b>Treatment as a State: Legal Perspective – CH Ballroom 2</b> <b>Reducing Diesel Emissions – CH Ballroom 3</b> <b>Indoor Air Quality – ANB Hall</b>
12:00 pm to 1:30 pm	<b>Luncheon</b> <b>Keynote: AJ Salkoski and Desirae Roehl – Success Stories in Tribal Demonstration Projects</b>
1:30 pm to 3:00 pm	<b>Break Out Sessions:</b> <b>Region 10 Federal Funding/Budget Priorities – CH Ballroom 1</b> <b>Tribal Consultation &amp; Communication – Catherine Villa / Ballroom 2</b> <b>Policy Development on Tribal Environmental Issues–CH Ballrm 3</b> <b>Natural Resource Restoration – David Chapman (Title TBD)</b> <b>Environmental Justice Grant – ANB Hall</b> <b>Youth Environmental Education – Gary Olson</b> <b>OR</b> <b>Youth Session – Christine Woodward</b> <b>Developing a Youth Environmental Program – Barbara Cadiente-Nelson</b> <b>Youth Leadership Involvement</b>
3:00 pm to 3:15 pm	<b>Break</b>
3:15 pm to 5:00 pm	<b>Break Out Sessions – Report Out</b> <b>Facilitator:</b>
<b>Tours</b>	
Monday Tour Times TBD	<b>FREE Tour - Juneau Forestry Sciences Laboratory Tour / Héen Latinee Experimental Forest Land and Watershed Management Program</b>
Monday Tour Times TBD	<b>FREE Tour – NOAA Facility Tour</b>
Friday 7:00 am to 4:00 pm	<b>Tour to Icy Strait Point</b> <b>Tribal Dance and Cultural Legends Show</b> <b>Cost: \$179</b>
Tours Every Day (3.5 hours)	<b>Whale Watching Adventure</b> <b>Cost: \$149</b>
Tours Every Day (5 hours)	<b>Sportfishing Challenge</b> <b>Cost: \$199</b>
Tours Every Day (3 hours)	<b>Taku Glacier Lodge Flight and Feast</b> <b>Cost: \$260</b>

**Additional Break Out Session Suggestions:**

- **Energy Wise in Rural Alaska – Ellen Kazary**
- **Sustaining Yellowstone National Park: A 138 Year Journey – Jim Evanoff**
- **Administrative and Financial systems – PETE Contractor (by Evelyn Holtzendorf)**

- Other session re: Land by Evelyn Holtzendorf
- Possible Panel: The Benefits of Intertribal Coordination and Advocacy – Charles O'Hara
- Mansel Nelson – Indoor Air Quality (*will send in session info*)
- Zoltan Grossman?
- ICLEI – Reductions in Greenhouse Emissions/Improvements in Local Sustainability - Melissa Stults
- Cathy Needham – still needs to turn in session topic, says she can speak on "numerous topics"
- RTOC/NTOC – "How Far We've Come!" – Kathy Hill